GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COAL
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2165
ANSWERED ON:10.03.2016
Acquisition of Land by WCL
Tumane Shri Krupal Balaji

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) the system adopted for acquisition of land by Western Coalfields Limited(WCL) along with the existing units of WCL in the country;

(b) the area of land acquired by the WCL in the country, especially in Nagpur, Maharashtra along with the details of the Act under which WCL is acquiring land at present;

(c) whether the Government has laid down any rules for land acquisition by WCL, if so, the details thereof along with the land acquired under these rules;

(d) whether WCL has given back thousands of acres of land acquired by it few years ago; and

(e) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor?

Answer

A N S W E R

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL, POWER AND NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a): Land is acquired by WCL under the following legislations:-

a) Coal Bearing Areas(acquisition & Development) Act, 1957
b) Land Acquisition Act, 1894/RFCTLARR Act, 2013.

In certain cases, land is purchased directly from the land owners. Besides, Forest Conservation Act, 1980 and the State Government's land acquisition and land revenue codes/rules are also relevant in course of land acquisition.

Presently, land acquisition is being done under Coal Bearing Areas(A&D) Act, 1957. Land compensation is provided to land owner, after executing agreements with land owners under section 14(1) of CBA (A&D) Act, 1957. Compensation for the land acquired is calculated as per Government of Maharashtra's General Resolution (GR) dated 22nd August, 2012 land rates as Rs. 6.00 lakh/acre for barren land, Rs. 8.00 lakh/acre for non-irrigated land and Rs. 10.00 lakh/acre for irrigated land. Physical possession of land is taken after providing land compensation and R&R benefits as per provision of R&R Policy of CIL-2012 to the land losers. The list of Working Mines as on 1.10.2015 is Annexed.

(b): WCL has two command areas namely Nagpur Area and Umrer Area in District Nagpur, Maharashtra. Land acquired under various Acts with land area is as under:-
(In Hectare)
Sl. No. Name of Areas CBA Act LA Act Direct Purchase Maharashtra Land Revenue (MSLR) Code Total
1. Nagpur 2150.54 673.71 371.29 192.52 3388.06
2 Umrer 2882.37 1001.69 148.99 7.52 4040.57
3 5032.91 1675.40 520.28 200.04 7428.63

(c)to(e): No.

ANNEXURE
WESTERN COALFIELDS LIMITED
NO OF WORKING MINES AS ON 01-10-2015

AREA NAME OF MINE
(Alphabetical order) DISTRICT STATE
UG OC
CHANDRAPUR 1

2

3

4

5
6
7 Chanda Rayatwari Colliery
Durgapur Rayatwari Colliery
Hindustan Lalpeth Colliery No. 1
Hindustan Lalpeth Colliery No. 3
Mahakali
Manna Incline
Nandgaon Incline

1
2

3

4

Bhatadi
Durgapur Sector V
Hindustan Lalpeth
Padmapur Chandrapur

Chandrapur

Chandrapur

Chandrapur

Chandrapur
Chandrapur
Chandrapur
Chandrapur
Chandrapur
Chandrapur

Chandrapur M.S.

M.S.

M.S.

M.S.

M.S.

M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
M.S.

M.S.
BALLARPUR 8
9 Ballarpur
Sasti

5
6
7

8
9
10

New Dhoptala
Ballarpur
Gouri Expansion(A)
Gouri Deep
Paoni
Sasti Chandrapur
Chandrapur
Chadrapur
Chandrapur
Chandrapur

Chandrapur
Chandrapur
Chandrapur M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
M.S.

M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
MAJRI 11

12
13
14
15

16 New Majri UG to OC
Dhorwasa
JunaKunada
NavinKunada
New Majri-I&II(A)Ex
Telwasa Chandrapur

Chandrapur
Chandrapur
Chandrapur
Chandrapur

Chandrapur M.S.

M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
M.S.

M.S.
WANI 17
18

19
20
21
22 Ghughus
Kolgaon
Mungoli
Naigaon
Niljai
Penganga Chandrapur
Yavatmal
Yavatmal
Yavatmal
Yavatmal
Chandrapur M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
WANI NORTH 10
11
Bhandewara Incline
Kumbarkhani

23
24
25
26
27

Ghonsa
Junad
Kolarpimpri
Pimpalgaon
Ukni Deep Yavatmal
Yavatmal
Yavatmal
Yavatmal
Yavatmal
Yavatmal
Yavatmal M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
NAGPUR 12
13
14
15
16
17
18
19
20 AB Incline
Adasa
Patansaongi
Pipla
Saoner-I
Saoner-II
Saoner-III
Sielwara
Waghoda

28
29

30

31

Gondegaon
Inder UG to OC
Kamptee UG to OC
Bhanegaon Nagpur
Nagpur
Nagpur
Nagpur
Nagpur
Nagpur
Nagpur
Nagpur
Nagpur
Nagpur

Nagpur

Nagpur M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
M.S.
M.S.

M.S.

M.S.
URMER 21 Murpar
32
33

34
35
Makardhokra-I
Makardhokra-II
Gokul
Umrer Chandrapur
Nagpur
Nagpur

Nagpur
Nagpur M.S.
M.S.
M.S.

M.S.
M.S.
PATHAKHERA 22
23
24
25

26
27 Chhatarpur-I
Chhatarpur-I
Shobhapur
Sarni
Tawa
Tawa-II Betul
Betul
Betul
Betul
Betul
Betul M.P.
M.P.
M.P.
M.P.
M.P.
M.P.
PENCH 28
29
30
31
32
33
34
35
36 Ganpati
Mahadevpuri
Mathani
Neheriya
RawanwaraKhas
Jamunia
Thesgora
Vishnupuri-I
Vishnupuri-II

36
37
38
39
40
41

Barkui
Bhajipani
Chinda
New Sethia
Shivpuri
Urdhan Chindwara
Chindwara
Chindwara
Chindwara
Chindwara
Chindwara
Chindwara
Chindwara
Chindwara
Chindwara

Chindwara
Chindwara
Chindwara
Chindwara
Chindwara M.P.
M.P.
M.P.
M.P.
M.P.
M.P.
M.P.
M.P.
M.P.
M.P.
M.P.
M.P.
M.P.
M.P.
KANHAN 37
38
39
40
41 Ambara
Ghorawari No-1
Mohan
Nandan-II
Tandsi

42

Ghorawari No-2/Bharat OC patch Chindwara
ChindwaraChindwaraChindwara
Chindwara
Chindwara M.P.
M.P.
M.P.
M.P.
M.P.
M.P.

STATE NO OF UG MINES NO OF OC MINES TOTAL
MAHARASHTRA
MADHYA PRADESH 21
20 35
7 56
27
TOTAL 41 42 83

NB: In exercise of the power vested by Sec. 18(1) of Coal mines (Special Provisions) 2nd Ordinance, Government of India has been pleased to appoint the Chairman, Coal India Ltd. as the Custodian of 6 mines as communicated vide letter no CIL/CH/CUSTODIAN/27/1608 dated 31.03.2015. In pursuance of letter no, WCL/CMD/Secy/12-P/117 dated 31.03.2015, Pench Area &Wani North Area has taken over the charge of 2 mines and 1 mine respectively. The details are given below:-

Sl No Name of Mine State
1 Gotitoria (East) Madhya Pradesh
2 Gotitoria (West) Madhya Pradesh
3 MarkiMangli-II Maharashtra